

The Adair County News.

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COLUMBIA, ADAIR COUNTY, KENTUCKY, WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 1917.

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Personals.

Rev. J. S. Chandler was here Monday.

Dr. F. H. Winfrey went to Louisville last Friday.

Mr. Henry Hurt has been quite sick for the past ten days.

Mr. E. B. McLean, traveling salesman, was here last week.

Mrs. E. F. Mullinix, who has been quite sick, is no better.

Mrs. M. E. Marcum has been resting easier for several days.

Mr. W. E. Eubank, Lexington, was here the first of the week.

Col. McHenry Rhoads, Lexington, was here a few days ago.

Mr. J. F. Montgomery was in Burkesville, on legal business, last week.

Miss Margaret Adkinson, of Middlesboro, is visiting Miss Vic Hughes.

Mr. W. M. Diddle, of Cane Valley, visited in Columbia last Friday.

Miss Lillian Burdette, who visited here for ten days, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sharp, of Amandaville, were here last Thursday, shopping.

Mr. N. J. Wilcox, father of Mrs. W. R. Myers, is very low at the Myers home.

Mr. and Mrs. Presly Clark, Bowling Green, are visiting at the home of Dr. C. M. Russell.

Mr. H. K. Alexander, was here a few days ago, his regular trip to see the merchants.

Miss Mollie Jeffries, who was quite sick several days of last week, has about recovered.

Mr. Collins Bridgewater and wife, (nee Miss Mary Breeding,) arrived from Louisville last Wednesday.

Misses Opal Garnett, Margie Buster, and Mr. Claud Buster are visiting Miss Alice Cann, Hart county.

Mr. O. C. Hamilton, who got hurt in Ohio, and who has been confined since reaching home, is improving.

Messrs. Jo Head, who travels for the Oakland, Will Callison, with Buchanan Lyon Co., were here Friday.

Miss Rose Hyed left for Jamestown Saturday, and will begin teaching in the graded school, that place Monday.

Mr. Gideon Burton, son of Mr. J. E. Burton, is in a very bad condition and will be taken to Louisville for an operation.

Mr. Hugh Richardson, of Blackwell, Okla., arrived last week to spend a few days with his mother and his children.

Misses Mary and Ruth Hulse, Hopkinsville, are visiting in Columbia, stopping at the home of their aunt, Mrs. L. F. Piercy.

Mr. Sylvester Burton, who has been living in Moody, Texas, twenty-seven years, is visiting his old home near Purdy. He is a son of Richard Burton, who died last week.

Capt. T. A. Humble, of the Third Kentucky has been here for some days recruiting. He is a native of Russell county, a son of J. E. Humble. His present home is Leitchfield, Ky.

Miss Elizabeth Kemp, of Earlington, Ky., who has a number of acquaintances in Columbia, arrived Monday afternoon, to spend a few weeks with Miss Katie Murrell.

Mr. Robt. Ingram, cashier of the Russell Springs Bank, wife and three sons, and Miss Mary Will Cobb, of Owenton, Ky., were in Columbia last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Ingram had been on a visit to Owenton.

Mrs. Bruce Montgomery and her little daughter, Elizabeth, are spending two weeks with their cousin, Mrs. J. H. Mann, Edmont. They were accompanied to Edmont by Mr. Doc Walker, brother of Mrs. Montgomery.

Miss Sallie Baker, who has been confined at her home for several months, is believed to be improving. She came down on the square a few afternoons ago, in an automobile. Her many friends are glad to see her on the highway to permanent health.

Mr. Jo Russell and Mr. J. B. Phillips, Lebanon, were here for a few hours last Wednesday. While here Mr. Russell informed The News that he was the father of the finest girl baby in seven states. She made her advent on Wednesday, July 11th, and that her two brothers, Jo and Daniel Duncan, would not sell her for more than the price offered. She is a healthy little girl and weighed 9 1/2 pounds.

Miss Ellen Burton left, on a visit, to her brother, Rev. H. O. Burton, who was a gallant soldier in the Confederate army, a member of the Orphan

Brigade, commanded by General Joseph H. Lewis, has been quite feeble for several years, and has almost completely lost his sight. In the history of the Orphan Brigade, written by Ed Porter Thompson, considerable space is devoted to his gallantry. He is a native of Columbia.

Nine days from the date of this paper until the primary election.

The number of men to be drafted into the army from Adair county is 128.

Mont Tarter, who was a candidate for Assessor, has withdrawn from the race.

Rev. O. P. Bush will preach at Gradyville and Milltown next Saturday and Sunday.

Official copies of the draft drawing will be mailed out not later than today—Tuesday.

Bingham Moore, of Cane Valley, sold to R. L. Faulkner, last week, 4 lambs for \$54.00.

Statistics show that there is one automobile in the United States to every twenty-nine persons.

Do not send to this office obituaries of little children from 6 months to two years old. They have no history.

There will be an all day meeting at White Oak church, July 29. Every body invited to come and bring dinner.

Mr. Ores Barger has removed to the property he recently purchased, on Bomar Heights, formerly owned by Mr. Marion Antle.

I now have plenty of fresh Rubber tire. Prices low. Bring your buggy at once. S. F. Eubank.

LOST—Somewhere between the moving picture parlor and Mrs. Bob Rowe's a gold brooch set with small diamonds. Finder please leave at News office.

A large leopard that was in Haag's menagerie, is reported as having died between Gradyville and Edmont. It was sick when the show left Columbia.

Mr. T. L. Upton, of Glenville, has left a sample of sweet pea clover, grown by him, at this office. It measured 7 feet and six inches in length.

Mr. Purd Bryant, a worthy young man, and Miss Stella Blair, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jo Blair, who is an excellent young woman, were recently married.

The Lindsey-Wilson catalogue was completed at this office last week, and it is now being mailed to prospective pupils. Encouraging letters are being received daily.

Eld. H. B. Gwinn of Jamestown, will preach at Cane Valley next Saturday night and Sunday morning, and will preach at the Christian Church this place Sunday night.

Mrs. A. Hunn accidentally fell one day last week, barely escaping from a broken hip. She was laid up for several days, and at this time has not fully recovered, but indications point to her early recovery.

The Girls Self Culture Club met with Misses Agnes and Ruth Hynes last Thursday afternoon. An interesting program was rendered, and there were lots of good edibles, the occasion being enjoyable.

Next Monday the Adair County Teacher's Institute will open. Prof. McDougle will conduct it. On Tuesday night Dr. Ganfield, one of the best speakers in the State, will deliver an address to which every body is cordially invited.

Rev. Gabard, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Burkesville, will fill the pulpit at the Presbyterian church, this place, next Sunday. He is said to be an able minister and every body is invited to hear him. He will preach forenoon and evening.

All persons owning lots in the cemetery should see that they are kept clean at all times. It is the custom of people to visit the cemetery just before decoration day and beautify their lots, then do nothing more until the next year. The lots need going over at least once a month. The Culture Club, which is in charge of the cemetery, request that undesirable growths that are removed from lots, be carried outside the yard. It is no little job to keep the cemetery in good condition, and the ladies who are in charge, should be given the assistance they ask.

WESLEY ELIGIBLE.

The Law as Handed Down by Chas. H. Morris, Attorney General of Kentucky.

Mr. P. P. Wesley, Eunice, Ky.

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of the 18th instant, in which you say a question as to the eligibility to the office of County School Superintendent of Adair County, in case you were nominated and elected, is being raised on the grounds that your State Certificate is insufficient because it is claimed that you took the examination in Casey County at a time when you were not a resident of that County.

I understand from your letter that you were born in Casey County and resided there until 1908, at which time you moved to Adair, where you resided until the 1st day of January, 1916, when you then (Jan. 1st, 1916) bought a farm in Casey County, and it was then your expressed intention to reside thereon and make the same your legal domicile or place of residence, and did make same your home and residence. That while you thus claimed and held the Casey county farm as your domicile, you took the examination in that county for a State Certificate under the provisions of Section 4503, Kentucky Statutes. That afterwards in due course, the State Board of Education issued to you a State Certificate which would entitle you to teach in the schools of the State for a period of sixteen years, unless such certificate should not be renewed at the end of eight years because of the fact that you might have failed to engage in active school work for two successive years, or because the local board might have deemed you unworthy because of immorality of character.

In addition to what you say in your letter, I find that State Superintendent, V. O. Gilbert, in January, 1917, wrote you substantially as follows: "We have received the affidavit of Mr. Wesley, fixing his residence in Casey County and are ordering his certificate issued. This settles the question, as he has a right to fix his place of residence."

I do not and the affidavit referred to, as it appears to have been filed with Mr. Pogue, one of the inspectors, whose papers are not on file here.

However, I gather from the records of Mr. Gilbert's office that your certificate was held up by the State Board of Education on complaint of outside parties that you were not a resident of Casey County, and afterwards by the State Board directed to be issued when you filed the affidavit.

It seems to me that that act of the State Board is conclusive in the matter. They, after deliberating, were of the opinion that you were a resident of Casey County and issued your Certificate, and as Mr. Gilbert, the only person who, under the law, has a right to revoke this certificate was a member of that Board and by his letter referred to is on record as concluding that you were legally entitled to the certificate.

So it appears to me from all the facts obtainable that you are the holder of a legal State Certificate which will not expire for sixteen years, except you should fail in having it renewed at the end of eight years from the date of issuance, and that, so far as the question of the validity of the certificate is concerned, you are eligible to the office of County Superintendent of Adair County.

Trusting that the foregoing is sufficiently responsive to your queries, I beg to remain,

Yours truly,
Charles H. Morris,
Attorney General.

In order that the voters of Adair county may not be deceived or misled by unkind insinuations of those who oppose my nomination, I have called on the Attorney General of Kentucky for an opinion as to my eligibility for the office of County Superintendent of Adair County.

The same is published above in full and I trust will satisfy all who are interested.

P. P. Wesley.

Draft List-Adair County.

The following 256 names will answer to the First Call. This is not official, but it is not expected there will be any changes. Adair county is to furnish 128 men. When that number of men have been examined, and there should be rejections, the places of the rejected ones will be filled from the next 128 men:

258—William Leonard Compton, Weed, Ky.
458—Walter Groves (Col), Milltown, Ky.
854—Roger Page, Cane Valley
1095—Noel Thomas, Milltown.
783—Melvin Morgan, Glensfork
1117—Wm. Sherman Tedder, Casey Creek.
887—John Pike, Absher.
337—Wm. J. Chelf, Knifley
676—Ed Keltner
275—Henry L. Conover, Columbia
509—Willie Goode, Knifley
1185—Owen P. Watson, Holmes
564—John Arvest Hill, Columbia
945—Harrison Rainwater, Casey Creek
596—Luther Alvin Hovious, Knifley
536—John Alvin Harmon (col) Purdy
548—George Hill, Fairplay
126—Pete Bryant, McGaha
784—Solomon Felix McKinley, Ozark
755—Robt. C. Maupin, Columbia
107—Eugene R. Biggs, Coburg
616—Robt. Samuel Hatfield, Neatsburg
373—Americus Evans, (col), Eunice
775—William P. Morrison, Gadberry
486—Burner Grant, Glensfork
682—Mackie Keltner, Pickett
600—Joshua Holsclaw, Casey Creek
810—Acy Mann, Casey Creek
507—Joseph Whitman Greer, Neatsburg
309—Woody Alva Cape, Crocus
437—Simon Finn, Pickett
604—Lucien Alcorn Hunn, Columbia
43—Samuel Carlos Bennett, Basil
1066—Howard S. Shaw, Sano
924—Felix Royse, Columbia
420—George Lee Pease, Cane Valley
1014—Evan Strange, Columbia
1178—Leonard Walker, Nell
514—Bertis Grant, Sano
433—Ray Flowers, Columbia
10—William Riley Abel, Casey Creek
1045—Orlie Smith, Breeding
1031—Jake Wesley Stargel, Sano
487—Arthur Grant, (Crocus)
797—George W. Montgomery, Columbia
140—Homer Ray Ballinger, Glensfork
1236—Bryce Walker, Glensfork
432—Wood H. Franklin, Columbia
18—Jas. Vemon Aaron, Glensfork
652—John Albert Jones, Glensfork
927—Omer Lee Roy, Roy
739—Tim Miller (col), Columbia
601—Ben R. Hutchinson, Columbia
1146—David Lee Vance, Columbia
1103—Frank Taylor, Montpelier
606—George Miller Hunn, Columbia
182—Wm. Ethel Bryant, Sano
513—John Tyler Grant, Neatsburg
46—Elmer Blankenship, Milltown
1020—Henry Shirley, Keltner
1099—Owen Tupman, Columbia
223—Pompey Burton, Absher
117—Albert Burton, Cane Valley
602—Jas. Cleveland Holcomb, Knifley
390—Jim Estes, Picnic
75—John Wm. Burton, Purdy
772—Jas. Preston Miller, Columbia
721—Carl Landis, Miami
786—Harrison Allen McGaha, McGaha
280—Wyatt Rodgers Conover, Columbia
972—John Robert Smith, (col), Columbia
983—Joseph Sinclair, Absher
757—Jesse Murrell, Columbia
966—John Estel Rubarts, Pellyton
868—Jas. Pendleton, Columbia
332—Wm. Edgar Collins, Casey Creek
379—Taylor Edgar Ellis, Ozark
642—Robert J. Hurt, Columbia
194—Geo. Thomas Brockman, Sano
874—Thomas Perkins, Knifley
592—Welby Holmes, Garlin
298—Sam Cabbell, Columbia
675—Allen Keltner, Milltown
1148—Alley Banks Vaughan, Absher
343—Lloyd Melvin Dunn (col) Pellyton
982—John William Sharp, Absher
726—Joe McCleay (col), Columbia
15—Joe Gilbert Acres, Roy
905—Matthew Robertson, Absher
933—Mays Redford, Pyrus
452—Charley Lee Gowen, Basil
355—Wm. R. Dulworth, Coburg
530—Alonzo Holmes, Absher
809—Lonza Morgan, Knifley
1114—Clarence Taylor, Columbia
645—Wm. Oliver Johnson, Gadberry
218—Lora Nelson Burton, Purdy
620—John Acy Hatfield, Neatsburg
550—Jas. Colvin Hood, Columbia
574—Nathan Preston Antle, Crocus
31—John K. Absher, Columbia
981—Samuel L. Strevel, Purdy
770—Jas. Robert Montgomery, Gradyville
882—Leslie Pickett, Pickett

677—Charley Keltner, Milltown
749—Edwin Estes Moore, Columbia
1211—Ernest England Workman, Pellyton
525—Lucien Hughes, Bliss
760—Ray U. McClister, Fairplay
56—Otha W. Bragg, Toria
792—Geo. Robert Montgomery, Ozark
5—Wm. Obe Adkins, Pellyton
350—John B. Diskson, Greensburg
54—Wm. Winston Bennett, Dirigo
370—Olen Powell, Roy
549—Elic Hill, Fairplay
1132—Harrison Taylor, Columbia
440—Clyde Martin Ford, Casey Creek
1054—Alexander Stotts, Sparksville
711—Jas. A. Lewis, Fairplay
841—Arnold Pelston, Picnic
638—Alford James, Sparksville
1032—Clifton Wright Scott, Breeding
623—Walter Lee Harvey, Rugby
209—Geo. Talmage Campbell, Sparksville
685—Clarence Kimball, Crocus
1141—Lee Travis, Breeding
1016—Eddie Turner Sherrill, Knifley
335—Geo. Matthew Capeheart, Speck
493—Marvin Grider, Gentry Mill
923—Bryan Royse, Columbia
341—Elbert Chelf, Knifley
1007—Bener Jackson Shives, Breeding
391—Wm. Roy England, Toria
353—Samuel Randall Duval, Columbia
970—Robt. Leslie Stone, Crocus
637—Henry Lee Jones, (col), Bliss
360—Owen Davis, Coburg
1217—Jim Warren, (col), Columbia
571—T. Parvin Hoover, Fairplay
488—Lonza Thos. Grant, Crocus
704—Alie Nordic Lewis, Fairplay
72—Frank Bryant, Purdy
1053—John Frank Stotts, Dirigo
356—Cladius W. Dulworth, Dulworth
112—Charley Ballou, Columbia
93—Edgar Beard, Picnic
128—Ben Harrison Burton, McGaha
679—Frank Karnes, Cane Valley
805—Raymond Moran, Bliss
11—Robert Arnold, Knifley
900—Eugene W. Rice, Cane Valley
981—Samuel L. Strevel, Purdy
363—John Denton Columbia.
1142—Willie Thomas, Milltown
6—Harrison Franklin Adkins, Pellyton
327—Idilin Cundiff, Columbia
93—Edgar Beard, Knifley
604—Berge Clyde Jesse, Toria
957—John Rose, Toria
1112—Arthur H. Todd, Columbia
345—John Dohoney (Col) Columbia.
103—Jacob S. Biggs, Cane Valley.
1221—John Sylvan Weatherford, Absher
1102—Geo Wesley Turner, Fairplay
556—Homer W. Hardin, Dulworth
154—Owen W. Brockman, Cane Valley
51—Chas. Henry Brown, Parson
717—Martin Loy, Fairplay
1057—Boss Allen Sharp, Breeding
1073—Jacob A. Shuler, Coburg
30—Velmer Aaron, Columbia
199—Willie Burress, Milltown
388—Millard Columbus Eastridge, Knifley
773—John C. Marshall, Columbia
608—Lee Abel Humphress, Knifley
406—Rollin Frazer, (Col) Cane Valley
519—John Gentry, Sano
25—Listen Antle, Crocus
392—Millard Lee England, Red Lick
839—Acy Pelston, Dirigo
383—Dave Estes, Keltner
1166—Oliver Willis, Columbia
588—Cris Harmon, McGaha
856—Follis G. Petty, Picnic
705—Claudie Lewis, Fairplay
576—Gather Hadley, Picnic
944—Scott Rainwater, Casey Creek
122—Ciel Burton, Purdy
642—R. D. Judd, Columbia
939—Lawrence Roy, Roy
222—William Robert Beard, Absher
906—Olin Rosenbaum, Fairplay
226—John William Burton, Garlin
700—Robert Watson Letcher, Glensfork
1195—Willie Wilson, Columbia
297—Paul G. Chandler, Columbia
321—Thomas Butler Cabbell, Joppa
736—Chatman Moss, Weed
703—Jackson T. Lawhorn, Glensfork
1002—Ben Snead, Gradyville
1151—James L. Vaughan, Cane Valley
1101—Leslie Arvin Turner, Columbia
368—Rollin Dennis Dooley, Sparksville
974—Creed Hatcher Shively (Col) Knifley
330—John Alford Campbell, McGaha
950—Cofer Reece, Breeding
926—Geo. Robert Reed, Columbia
919—Gilliam Rodgers, Milltown
656—Calvin Jones, Casey Creek
1097—Chas Tarter, Milltown
738—Walter Edgar Moss, Basil
1167—Arthur Clyde Wolford, Casey Creek
1191—Wm. Virgil Wesley, Glensfork
1234—Clarence Wm. Marshall, Glensfork.

848—Nathan M. Page, Cane Valley.
1118—John Wesley Tedder, Casey Creek.
121—Cyrenus Burton, Purdy.
221—Sam Coy Brockman, Absher.
292—Willie Mack Collins, Columbia
823—Robert Leslie Mings, Dunnville
504—Wm Riley Goodlin, Knifley
1064—Willie Shearer, Crocus
1205—Wm Herschel Williams, Picnic
814—Elby Roy Miller, Eunice
1175—George Willis, Gradyville
1070—Ray Snrange, Glensfork
1010—Clay M. Smith, Columbia
1091—Robert R. Summers, Columbia
470—Jas. Gadberry, Gadberry
312—Ben Harrison Conover, Roy
90—Forrest Elbert Bailey, Craycraft
191—Milton Wesley Burton, Purdy
477—Andersen Green, Fairplay
1187—John Andrew Webb, Glensfork
1179—Nat Murrell Walker, Columbia
753—J. K. Murrell, Columbia
130—Sammie Bryant, Joppa
858—Joseph Alec Parnell, McGaha
168—Gideon Burton, Knifley
1023—Adraian Shepherd, Foster
424—Martin Lee Frankum, Gadberry
840—Mont Pollard, Milltown
1188—Robert Barnett Willis, Columbia
300—Thos. E. Cave, Coburg
1278—Rollin Caldwell, Milltown
2021—Charley Franklin Seaborn, Speck
524—Benjamin William Goode, Pellyton
911—Howaad Russell, Absher
1172—Levi Harrison Watson, Knifley
532—Robert Henry Henson, Columbia
1138—Clarence Owen Taylor, Glensfork
1214—Henry Rose Williams (col) Eunice
336—Elba Owen Christy, Yuma
212—Jim Alford Baker, Sparksville
49—Press Blankenship, Pickett

Wesley, Huffaker, Aaron.

If P. P. Wesley can legally establish his home in Adair from about 1909 to 1916; then in Casey for 1916—long enough to pass State examination; then back to Adair 1917; paying his poll tax in Adair all the time, I believe the Attorney General able to declare his certificate good.

Will the Republicans of Adair nominate a man who denies Adair being his home in 1916? If so I submit gracefully.

Why did not Huffaker settle this? He knew it.

George Aaron.

Red Cross Meeting.

There was an enthusiastic meeting of the Red Cross Chapter at the courthouse last Sunday afternoon. Stirring speeches were made by Mr. G. L. Sehon, Louisville, Judge W. W. Jones and Capt. T. A. Humble, of the Third Kentucky. Mr. Sehon has been in the work for some time and his speech was of special interest. Judge Jones devoted his time to urging the people to join, and do what their hands find to do. Capt. Humble made a beautiful address on "Patriotism." At the close of the addresses every person in the audience joined.

Next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the Chapter will again meet at the Methodist church, and it is hoped that the building will be crowded. Good speakers will address the meeting. Be sure and attend. There is something for every person to do. People who can not go to war must do their bit for our boys who are called to the front.

Will Not Appear on Ballot.

The following candidates names will not appear on the primary ballots August 4, 1917, as they had no opposition, and certificates of nomination have been issued by the County Clerk as the law provides.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES.

Gordon Montgomery for County Attorney.
J. F. Mills, for Justice of the Peace District No. 1.
L. M. Smith for Justice of the Peace District No. 6.
Melvin Conover for Justice of the Peace District No. 7.

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATES.

W. A. Coffey for County Attorney.
C. M. Russell for Coroner.
E. G. Hardwick for Surveyor.
G. L. Wolford for Justice of the Peace District No. 1.
W. E. Leach for Justice of the Peace District No. 6.
Jo N. Conover for Justice of the Peace District No. 7.
Walker Bryant, Clerk of Adair County Court.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce the following Candidates subject to the action of their respective parties:

For County Judge.

Republican WALTER S. SINCLAIR.
Democrat KINT MONTGOMERY.
W. G. ELLIS
Republican E. L. SINCLAIR.
G. T. HERRIFORD.

For County Attorney.

Democrat GORDON MONTGOMERY

For Sheriff.

Republican W. B. PATTESON.
CORTZ SANDERS.
GEO. E. NELL
Democrat CLYDE CLENSHAW.
R. M. HURT

For County Court Clerk.

Republican T. A. FURKIN.
JOHN N. SQUIRES.
L. Y. GABBERT.
S. C. NEAT.
Democrat ALBERT MILLER.
W. H. GILL.
GEO. J. EPPERSON

For School Superintendent.

Republican GEORGE AARON.
TOBIAS HUFFAKER.
P. P. WESLEY.
Democrat NOAH LOY.
MISS ESTELLE WILLIS

For Jailer

Republican JOHN THURMAN.
FRANK WOLFORD MILLER.
J. C. WOOTEN.
A. W. TARTER.
G. W. COLLINS.
T. G. RASNER.
Democrat C. G. JEFFRIES.
A. H. FESE.
JOHN R. CHRISTIE.
E. G. MCGINNIS

For Assessor

Democrat P. P. DUNBAR.
ED BUTLER.
Republican R. H. HARMON.
EVERETT ALLISON.
G. L. PERRYMAN.
J. M. TARTER.
J. A. SCHULER.
L. H. JONES

For Representative

Republican JOE HUDDLESTON.
DR. W. S. TAYLOR.

The Automobile and Road Building.

In 1916 there were 3,513,000 automobiles and 251,000 motor cycles registered in this country, according to the U. S. Office of Public Roads. The revenue they yielded in the form of licenses and registration fees was \$25,865,000. The revenue had increased 42 per cent., over that for 1915 and the number of cars and motor cycles had increased 43 per cent. About 92 per cent. of the revenue was spent on road improvements of some kind.

The use of the cars is shown by the population per car in the different states. The great agricultural state of Iowa stands first, with a car for every 11 persons, and then follow California with 12 persons to each car, Nebraska and South Dakota with 13, Kansas with 16, Montana and North Dakota with 18, Michigan with 19 and Indiana and Ohio with 20. These are all agricultural states, and it is certain, not only from these statistics but also from common knowledge, that the automobile has become a valuable part of the farmer's equipment. It is not the great manufacturing states, like New York, with a car to every 50 inhabitants, or Pennsylvania with a car to every 97, that show the highest popular use of the motor vehicle. The fact is, the farmer, like the rancher in Arizona, where there is a car for every 21

persons, finds the automobile invaluable in removing the isolation of country life, and he is now willing to concede that good roads, which will enable him to use his car at any time in the year, are a necessity. Instead of complaining that good roads are only desired by the automobilist he wishes them built so that he can get the most benefit from his ownership of an automobile.

The National Value of Roads.

When we read that by transporting soldiers in motor vehicles of every description the French army won the decisive battle of the Marne, few of us realized that while it was the automobile that made success possible it was the network of good roads north of Paris that made the automobile of any use. Yet those famous roads of France saved the country and the national value of roads was proved. We are now witnessing what troubles lack of good roads causes in our national emergency. We are building sixteen cities, each for the temporary home of 36,000 to 46,000 men of our national army. They must be built in a great hurry, generally some miles from railroads and towns. The railways are building spurs into these camps, but the railroads are congested. Cars used for short hauls to these military cities will stand on sidings much of the time to be loaded or unloaded, when their best national service is in carrying materials long distances. Motor Trucks would permit the delivery of some of the supplies needed in large quantities at these camps but motor trucking is very difficult at many of them because there are no roads suitable for fleets of trucks and the camps must be ready for the army before the right kind of roads can be built.

Dirego.

Born to the wife of R. O. Stotts on the 2nd inst., twin boys.

The school at this place opened on the 2nd inst., with over 40 enrolled. Prof. Bennett, the teacher, has the reputation of being an excellent teacher, and so we are expecting one of the best schools we have had for some time. There are 89 pupils in the district, and as soon as the farmers get up with their work there will be many others to enter school, and we hope that the county board will allow us an assistant teacher, as it is impossible for any one teacher to handle a school of this size and do the work as well as he could with an assistant.

The woods have been full of candidates for the past few days and everyone you talk to claims to have his election already won, but still they must be in doubt about it from the way they are hustling, and although there is not half a dozen Republican voters in this immediate vicinity the Republicans appear to predominate in the number of candidates to visit here.

Born to the wife of Herschel Williams on the 5th inst., a girl.

R. L. Campbell and children, Earl, Fay and Dorothy, visited at Roy a day or so last week.

As the farmers were still very busy with their crops the meeting which was to have commenced at this place last Sunday was called off.

Roy Garmon and family, Sparksville, visited here last Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Valeria and Tina Campbell were baptized into the Methodist church at this place last Sunday afternoon, Rev. Vance officiating.

Several fellows from this community chartered an automobile and made a flying trip to Lebanon, one day last week.

Quite a number from here attended the Haag show at Breeding, Thursday.

Wheat threshing has been the order of the day for the past day or so, and many of the farmers were surprised at the way the wheat turned out, many of them making nearly double the number of bushels expected.

Joppa.

Master Joe Grissom Montgomery is on the sick list.

There will be a singing at Zion the 1st Sunday in August, conducted by Wolford Bros., Profs. R. O. Cabbell, George Blair, Joel Darnell and J. W. Jones. Everybody come out and bring their Carol Crown.

Miss Estell Willis and R. G. Willis both lost nice young horses last week.

Miss Winnie Montgomery is visiting at Dunnville.

Little Miss Bernice Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Powell has been quite sick for several days.

Mrs. Ben Powell, who was here on an extended visit, was called home suddenly on account of the serious illness of her husband, who is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Z. Conover, of Montpelier, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Willis.

The members of Zion church are rejoicing over securing the services of Rev. Chesterfield Turner, during a protracted meeting which begins on Monday night after second Sunday in August.

Font Hill.

Hay harvest is over and the yield is fairly good.

F. H. Austin, a prominent jeweler of this place, has purchased a grist mill, and will be ready soon for business.

H. L. Wade, a prominent merchant of Irvin's Store, was here Tuesday.

Bill Owens, a prominent stock dealer, of Longstreet, passed through here Saturday with a nice bunch of hogs. Prices 12 cents per pound.

Drewry Wilkerson, of Dunnville, was here last week, and bought a nice bunch of sheep of F. W. Luttrell at 11 1/2 cts per pound.

School commenced here Monday under the management of Prof. Vernon Luttrell

Carl Rexroat and wife, of Campbellsville, after a few days visit here, returned home Sunday.

Sylvester Roy, of Cincinnati, Ohio, visited his sister, Mrs. R. C. Cooper, Saturday.

F. H. Austin visited friends at Somerset Sunday. He takes great delight in driving his new Ford.

Rev. B. F. Voils, of Russell Springs, was here Wednesday selling fruit trees.

Hurl Smith, a prominent farmer of Esto, was mingling with old friends here last week. Until recently Mr. Smith has been employed by the Font Hill Spoke Co.

Consider the Tractor.

Whether the war ends this year or goes on until next summer, a big wheat crop is going to be demanded next year.

The greatest obstacle to the seeding of a crop bigger than normal is likely to be the lack of labor to prepare the land. Both men and horses for the putting in of any increased acreage are likely to be lacking. The tractor will take the place of both men and horses on many farms. This is a good year to consider

the tractor. More tractors the past spring would have made possible a much greater increase in the acreage of spring crops. Whether such an increase was really needed is yet to be seen; but that does not change the fact that a tractor greatly increases the farmer's capacity to do unusual things when the need for doing them arrives.

Of course many farmers do not need tractors now and are not likely ever to need them. Still other farmers who are likely to need a tractor in the future are not now prepared to use one to advantage. Of course, too, the buying of a tractor to put in a single big crop would not be good business in most cases. No wholesale rush into tractors is advised, no excitement about increasing crop acreage is called for.

Still, this is a good year for farmers seriously to consider the tractor and its possibilities. It is bound to do more and more of our farm work and find a place on a steadily increasing number of farms. Get the tractor catalogues this summer and study them; consult the tractor dealers. Find out just what possibilities the "iron horse" holds for you. Maybe you can find decided profit in using one to put in your fall grain crop.—Southern Agriculturist.

Adair List of Registration.

The following is a partial list, the remainder to follow from week to week, of all persons who submitted themselves for registration on June 5th, 1917, for Selective Draft for Military Service in the United States Army, in Adair county, Ky.

McFarland, Benj. F.
McCaffree, Allen J.
Morrison, Norman W.
Murrell, J. K.
Moore, Bingham
Maupin, Robert C.
Murrell, Jesse
McClister, F. Owen
Marlos, Ullis
McClister, Ray V.
Melson, William Anderson
Melson, Joseph Dewit
Morgan, Pleas Alvin
Murphy, Robert G.
McClister, Rollin
Morrison, Avis
Morgan, Joe Burd
Moore, Andree Jackson
Moss, Clinton Fight
Montgomery, James Robert
Moss, James Cornelius
Miller, James Preston
Marshall, Jno. C.
Morrison, Charlie Hollis
Morrison, William P.
Morgan, Carl
Morrison, Samuel Warfield
Morrison, Charlie
Miller, Joe Owen
McKinney, Le Roy
Marshall, Robert Clinton
Melson, William Oliver
Morgan, Melvin
McKinley, Solomon Felix
Miller, Leo
McGaha, Harrison Allen
Miller, Pan Ray
Miller, Sam
McElroy, Charlie Donidy
Murrell, Benj. Anderson
Morgan, Marvin
Montgomery, Geo. Robert
Miller, James E.
McElroy, Joe LaFayette
Montgomery, Ray
Mackey, Hugh J.
Montgomery, Geo. W.
Murrell, Jno. W.
Murrell, Leonard
Muncie Delbert
Murphey, Asa
Monday, Willie
Moss, Phillips Edward
Martin, John William
Moran, Raymond
Munday, Elbert
Matney, Cassius
Matney, Marvin
Morgan, Lonzie
Mann, Acy
McQueary, Mark Ilford
McGaha Oliver
Morton, Travis Owen
Miller, Elba Ray
Mann, Ebb

Mann, Jesse Wood
Murphey, Logan
McQueary, Joseph Andrew
McQueary, William Peter
McQueary, William Thomas
Miller, Lester
Mings, Robert Leslie
Mings, John Riley
Mings, Welby Lee
Mings, Albert Franklin
Martin, Henry Leslie
Martin, James Matthew
Morrison, Vannis Ray
Newby, Sam Hess
Nichols, Lyman
Nelson, Andrew
Nell, Guy
Norman, Foy
Neal, William Finis
Overstreet, Ethley
Pike, John
Potts, William
Pickett, Chapman
Pollard, Mont
Pellston, Arnel
Parsons, Charlie
Pickett, Columbus
Pulliam, Owen B.
Pike, Robert J.
Page, Russell
Pike, Geo. Aaron
Page, Norton M.
Pike, Benj. H.
Pike, Finis L.
Pickett, Lawrence
Patteson, Thomas Oliver
Pike, William A.
Page, Roger
Pierce, Charlie
Petty, Follis G.
Powell, Edgar
Powell, Jos. Alex
Petty, Mont
Pelley, Alley Wat
Pelley, John Alfred
Penick, Spencer
Page, Geo.
Pendleton, Benj. Irvin
Price, Jettie Dire
Powers, Almer
Powell, Bradley
Pendleton, James
Pierce, Joseph Marvin
Powell, Olen
Powell, Charlie Theodore
Pitman, Ewing
Parker, Sylvester
Perkins, Thomas
Patterson, Clyde
Pendleton, Lester E.
Pickett, Jim
Parker, William Jackson
Parnell, Oscar
Pickett, Felix
Pendleton, Jno. Miller
Pickett, Leslie
Parnell, Bradford
Pickett, Garlin
Pike, William Harrison
Phillips, Samuel
Patton, Finis P.
Patton, Clarence
Pelston, Asa
Pulliam, James Elbert
Pelston, Garnett
Page, Ollie
Patton, Henry Estill
Parson, Isaac S.
Quinn, Minitree Franklin
Reynolds, Walter Roy
Robinson, Geo. Lee
Rice, Geo. M.
Riall, Welby A.
Rice, Eugene W.
Rodgers, Roy
Richards, Nora German
Redmon, Elmer
Rice, Dempsey U.
Robertson, Matthew
Rosenbaum, Olin
Rooks, James Virgil
Richards, Jerry Elmer
Redmon, Virgil Allen
Richards, Richard Walter
Russell, Howard
Renfro, Melvin
Robertson, Ingram E.
Rose, Otis
Roach, Roy
Rowe, Ira Orbia
Roach, Albert Anty
Rogers, James Cager
Rogers, Gilliam
Reed, Edgar W.
Royse, Edgar Farris
Rule, Ed
Royse, Bryan
Royse, Felix
Richardson, Guy
Reed, Geo. R.
Roy, Omar Lee
Royse, Edgar
Redford, Ed
Robertson, Ernest
Rasner, Barney H.
Redford, Hall
Redford, Hay S.

Rasner, Roy
Rodgers, Simon
Rodgers, Clarence
Rodgers, Clarence
Rodgers, Alvin
Rodgers, Lemon
Roy, Lawrence
Redmon, Luther Taylor
Rodgers, Clarence
Rodgers, Lawson
Rodgers, Tommie
Rainwaters, Scott
Rainwaters, Harrison
Robinson, Edgar
Ruberts, William Virgil
Rupe, Elroy
Reece, Gifford
Reece, Cofer
Redmon, Reason
Reece, Thomas Filmore
Roe, Martin LaFayette
Roach, Arnold Herman
Rossen, James Alexander
Reece, Leonard Alma
Rose, John
Redford, Charlie V.
Ruberts, Evin D.
Roe, Lennis
Rosson, Alvin Grover
Reece, Lennis
Ruberts, Alvin Critman
Beece, Jake Cooley
Rich, Robert Lansing
Ruberts, John Estill
Rich Oby Lawrence
Rich, William Harrison
Smith, Chat
Stone, Robert Leslie
Smith, Lester
Smith, John Robert
Shively, Henry Tolbert
Shively, Creed Hatcher
Stone, Clarence
Smith, Robert
Stone, Willie
Smith, Bob
Smith, William
Smith, Mont
Streeval, Samuel L.
Sharp, Jno. William
Sinclair, Joseph
Sharp, Robert Lee
Streeval, Sid
Sneed, Montie
Shirley, Lucien Elmer
Sneed, Roy Clondis
Shirley, Jno. Thomas
Sneed, Robert Lee
Sneed, John Alfred
Sneed, Willie Nell
Sexton, Arthur Coakley
Stults, Earl
Smith, Ben
Sullins, Wesley
Stults, Willie
Shirley, Richard
Stephens, Allen
Squires, Belmont
Shirley, Willie
Sneed, Ben

Fight off Submarines.

Efforts of German submarines to foil the transportation of the first division of the American army to France have met with complete failure. American destroyers convoying the transports proved equal to the occasion and drove off the underwater boats, with the destruction of at least one of them, and probably more. All of the first American division have been landed safely in France without loss of life or even damage to any ship. Twice the transports were attacked by U-boats, and twice they were driven off, although Secretary of the Navy Daniels says it was evident that the Germans had knowledge beforehand of the coming of the vessels.

Capt. B. J. Ewen, one of the star witnesses for the commonwealth in the prosecution of the famous Breathitt county feud cases, is dead.

The Senate Judiciary Committee rejected the President's Wilson's nomination of William E. Thomas, of Valdosta, Ga., as Federal Judge of the Southern Georgia district.

Directors of the Chicago Board of Trade has fixed \$1.28 as maximum price for December and May deliveries of corn.

Frank Irvine White, a member of Company A, First Regiment, was killed in Louisville by the accidental discharge of his gun.

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Army surgeons predict nearly 40 per cent of the men drafted will be rejected, so severe is the physical test of the army. At present rejections in the regular army average from 40 to 60 per cent. These are the requirements:

Height—Not less than 5 feet, 4 inches, nor more than 6 feet.

Weight—Not less than 128 pounds nor more than 190.

Lungs and heart must be well nigh perfect. Any heart "murmur" disqualifies.

Hearing and sight must be good. Color blindness is not necessarily a disqualification.

Chronic diseases or mental disorders cause rejection.

Loss of fingers or toes or an ear are disqualifications.

Flat feet or deformed feet are causes for rejection.

At least four molar teeth are necessary.

No one with the affection of the kidneys or chest can pass.

As a result of the war 920,000 horses have been shipped from this country to Europe.

The Mayo brothers, of Rochester, Minn., will leave soon to work in French hospitals, after making a donation of \$1,600,000 to the University of Minnesota.

How to Make Good Hay.

All of our hay plants are more digestible and generally the loss of leaves is less when the hay is made early rather than late. Red and alsike clovers make best hay when cut before many of the blossoms have begun to die. Timothy, red top and orchard grass make best hay when cut in the bloom or early milk stage. Oats should be cut for hay when in the bloom or early milk stage. The yield will generally be larger if the crop is allowed to approach maturity more closely, but the digestibility will be lowered so that there will be a loss rather than a gain by waiting.

The guide for determining when alfalfa will do to cut is the growth of dew shoots at the base of the next crop, and when they appear it is time to make hay. At that stage the alfalfa may not be in bloom. Early in the season there may be very little if any bloom, while later there may be a great deal.

The process of hay-making is merely the matter of cutting the grass or clover, getting the moisture out of it so that it will keep when baled, and storing where it is protected from the weather. This process should be done as economically as practical and so as to lose as little of the plants by shattering as possible and to maintain the digestibility palatability of the hay. Study, close attention and some experience are necessary to achieve success.

Already the proper stage for cutting hay has been suggested, and it would be worth much to many farmers if this lesson was learned. A great deal of hay is allowed to get too ripe. Other things to avoid are excessive shattering of leaves, sunburning of the hay, damaging from rain and moulding after storing.—Southern Agriculturist.

Government Crop Report.

Washington, D. C., July 9, 1917. A summary of the July crop report for the State of Kentucky and for the United States, as compiled by the Bureau of Crop Estimates, and transmitted through the Weather Bureau, U. S. Department of Agriculture, is as follows:

Corn.
State: July 1 forecast, 114,300,000 bushels; production last year (December estimate,) 95,200,000 bushels.
United States: July 1 forecast, 3,120,000,000; production last year (December estimate,) 2,533,241,000 bushels.

All Wheat.
State: July 1 forecast, 8,300,000 bushels; production last year (December estimate,) 8,010,000 bushels.
United States: July 1 forecast, 678,000,000 bushels; production last year (December estimate,) 639,886,000 bushels.

Oats.
State: July 1 forecast, 6,400,000 bushels; production last year (December estimate,) 6,300,000.

United States: July 1 forecast, 1,450,000,000 bushels; production last year (December estimate,) 1,251,992,000 bushels.

Tobacco.
State: July 1 forecast, 426,000,000 pounds; production last year (December estimate,) 435,600,000 pounds.

United States: July 1 forecast, 1,220,000,000 pounds; production last year (December estimate,) 1,150,622,000 pounds.

Potatoes.
State: July 1 forecast, 5,770,000 production last year (December estimate,) 4,116,000 bushels.

United States: July 1 forecast, 452,000,000 bushels; production last year (December estimate,) 235,437,000 bushels.

Sweet Potatoes.
State: July 1 forecast, 1,132,000 bushels; production last year (December estimate,) 900,000 bushels.

United States: July 1 forecast, 82,200,000 bushels; production last year (December estimate,) 70,955,000 bushels.

All Hay.
State: July 1 forecast, 1,110,000

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tons: production last year, (December estimate,) 1,421,000 tons.

United States: July 1 forecast, 103,000,000 tons; production last year (December estimate,) 109,786,000 tons.

Apples (Agricultural Crop.)
State: July 1 forecast, 2,820,000, barrels of 3 bushels; production last year (December estimate,) 2,147,000 barrels.

United States: July 1 forecast, 66,800,000 of 3 bushels; production last year (December estimate,) 67,415,000 barrels.

"Last year about 10 per cent., of the total State crop and 38 per cent., of the total United States crop were estimated to be 'commercial,' i. e., shipped out of county where grown. This year about 15 per cent., of the State crop and 37 per cent., of the United States crop are estimated tentatively to be 'commercial.'"

Peaches.
State: July 1 forecast, 1,187,000 bushels; production last year, (December estimate,) 880,000 bushels.

United States: July 1 forecast, 43,500,000 bushels; production last year, (December estimate,) 46,939,000 bushels.

Hemp.
State: July 1 forecast, 18,000,000 pounds; production (December estimate,) 12,250,000 pounds.

The first price given below is the average on June 1 this year, and the second the average on June 1 last year.

State: Wheat, 243 and 105 cents per bushel. Corn, 106 and 84. Oats 81 and 58. Potatoes, 291 and 115. Hay \$17.60 and \$13.80 per ton. Eggs 26 and 17 cents per dozen.

United States: Wheat, 220.1 and 93.0 cents per bushel. Corn, 104.6 and 75.4 cents. Oats, 68.9 and 40.4 cents. Potatoes, 247.9 and 102.3 cents. Hay, \$14.56 and \$12.09 per ton. Cotton, 21.7 and 12.5 cents per pound. Eggs, 28.3 and 19.7 cents per dozen.

John Wesley Barkley, candidate for Commissioner of Scott county, died suddenly at his home near Georgetown.

Dr. F. Cook, a prominent dentist of Georgetown, dropped dead on the street there while returning from the Chautauqua.

The Illinois Central Hospital at Paducah was totally destroyed by fire with a loss of probably \$100,000

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\$800 for house and lot near the public square, good garden, good well, barn &c. Desirable place and is worth the money asked.

7 acres of good limestone land. Three room residence, two barns, two good springs, one well, one of the best locations in Gradyville. Away from the creek. Price right.

Farm of 121 acres, 5 miles south of Columbia. 45 acres bottom, good buildings, splendid orchard, well watered. All in high state of cultivation. Price \$4,000.

75 acres of land in sight of Columbia, Ky., good land, 8 acres bottom, 15 acres timber, fenced. \$50 per acre.

FARM IN TAYLOR COUNTY—Consisting of 200 acres, 100 acres in woodland, 90 acres in grass, 10 acres in cultivation, dwelling and barn. Situated 4 1/2 miles south of Campbellsville, on Robinson creek. Price \$3,000.

124 acre farm, 2 1/2 miles S. W. of Dunnville, in Adair, Casey, and Russell counties, reasonable good buildings, good orchard, good spring, well water, 70 acres cultivation, 6 acres in meadow, 20 acres corn, average 8 bbls. acre, limestone land, \$600 to \$800 worth of timber. Price \$2,800.

175 acres timber land, near Webb's X Roads, Russell County, on Dixie Highway. Estimated to have 75,000 ft. saw timber. Price \$1,200.

Three houses, 7, 6, and 5 rooms, 1/2 acre lots, good wells, in the town of Columbia, west of Graded School. Price \$1,200 each.

House and lot on Fair Ground Street with six rooms, good well and outbuildings, all new, house wired for lights. Price \$1,150.

If you want to buy or sell it will pay you to do business with us, we are selling some and pleasing buyer and seller. We also (for private reasons) have other valuable property that we have not advertised but will sell.

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50 Rooms.....Single, 1.25 per day; 2 people 1.00 each
50 Front Rooms.....Single, 1.50 per day; 2 people 1.25 each
Rooms with Private Bath:
50 Rooms.....Single, 1.50 per day; 2 people 1.25 each
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The third prize will be presented to the Most Popular Minister.

The fourth prize to the Most Popular Old Maid.

Voting Ballots will be presented with every CASH sale. The Popularity Clerk will take the votes before the customer leaves the store, or customer can mail ballots in cases where they leave without voting. The date of distribution of prizes will be announced some time in June. Voting will begin April tenth.

Everyone is requested to send in the names of Candidates not later than the Seventh. Of course candidates names will be enrolled at any time during the contest, but it is much better to start with the opening sales.

These sales will be of the greatest interest and entertainment to everybody in the five counties. Interesting changes will be introduced in the plans frequently, and constant interest will be kept up till the finish.

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J. P. Gaskin, who is a candidate for Assessor of Russell county, is as clever a man as ever went down the road. Without saying a word detrimental to either one of his opponents, we believe Mr. Gaskin would make a very acceptable officer.

Mr. H. K. Mackey and family, who have been living in Columbia about one year, have removed to Cumberland county, and will reside at their old place. Mr. Mackey is a good citizen and his wife an excellent lady, and our people would have been glad had they remained here.

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The Woman's Home Companion, for August, came in several days ago. This is one of the best periodicals that comes to this office. The ladies take a great delight in reading it, as the information it contains is very valuable to the household. Send for it. 351 Fourth Avenue, New York, N. Y.

Senator Robt. Antle was here Saturday, en route to his home, in Russell county, from the lower end of the district. He stated that the outlook was bright for his nomination, as his reception at every point had been exceedingly cordial. He further stated that unless all signs failed he would carry four counties out of the five.

It is estimated that one hundred and fifty persons attended the social and musical entertainment at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Young, last Thursday evening. Refreshments, consisting of ice cream, cake, sherbert, soft drinks, etc. The party did not break until a late hour and all in attendance report it the most enjoyable occasion ever given in the neighborhood.

A gentleman representing an agricultural Chautauqua was here last week, to arrange for an entertainment, beginning August 27 and continuing three days. We understand that the representative secured sufficient names to warrant the holding of the Chautauqua. There will be a number of lectures, and the musical program first class. Perhaps the advertising man will be here in a very short time.

Dr. L. F. Page and his son, LaFayette, arrived from Indianapolis, last Thursday afternoon. Dr. Page is a brother of Mr. Jas. T. Page, and he and his son came to bid their kinspeople good bye, before leaving for France. Dr. Page belongs to the Indianapolis Medical Corps, comprising twenty-five physicians, seventy nurses, one hundred and fifty orderlies. LaFayette Page is a corporal in the Light Artillery. He had been commissioned if he had been older, being only twenty years of age. The medical department of this crew already have a base hospital established in France, Dr. Page being a member of the Executive Board.

Death of a Child.

On July 5, 1917, the spirit of little Henry Paul Andrew, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Andrew, took its flight to God who gave it. He was born Sept., 12, 1916, age 1 year 9 months and 23 days old. He had been sick 2 months and 11 days, first taking whooping cough then measles, and last cholera infantum. His suffering was intense through all. Every thing was done that loving hands could do, but to no avail. Little Paul will not only be missed by father, mother, grandparents and little sister, but by all who knew him, for to know him was to love him. His little smiling face and kind and loving ways made love for him wheresoever he was. But dear ones weep not for little Paul, for he is safe in the arms of Jesus, and is waiting and beckoning with his little baby hands for papa and mama and other dear ones to come and join him where all is peace and happiness. For God said: "Suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of heaven. And dear ones put your trust in Jesus, who alone can heal broken hearts." Brittle Webb, Glensfork, Ky.

Spelling Match.

There will be an old fashion spelling match, under the auspices of the Woman's Club, at the court house Thursday night during the Institute, between the old and young people. Lots of fun. Admission 10 cents. Proceeds will go to cemetery and town improvement.

An Enthusiastic Meeting.

Recently, at the attractive home of Mrs. George Staples, the Ladies Culture Club held an open meeting. A number of Columbia's most prominent citizens were present. Mrs. Hynes, president of the club, Miss Jennie Garnett and Miss Rose Hyde assisted Mrs. Staples in receiving the guest.

Eld. Z. T. Williams opened the meeting with prayer. Miss Garnett submitted a report of the work being done at the cemetery, which is now under the control of this club, whose splendid management, under the charge of Miss Garnett, has met with the approval of the entire community. Miss Hyde made a report of the work being accomplished by the Girls' Club.

Mrs. Staples, with a few words of welcome read a paper on "What the Woman's club can do for civic improvement." Mrs. Woodruff Flowers read a paper on "Civic Improvement," and Mrs. Ballard one on "Making our Town Beautiful." Mrs. Ballard, chairman of the committee on civic work, then presented to the visitors the plans of the club for improving and beautifying our town and public square.

This was replied to by Mr. L. C. Winfrey on behalf of the Board of Trustees. A number of gentlemen present made brief talks, endorsing the suggestions of the club, and assuring them of their unqualified support. One of the suggestions offered by the club, which met with the hearty approval of the citizens of both town and county, was the improvement of the public square and courthouse, by making a small yard around the building, taking in as much of the square as is practical; getting the same set in bluegrass and suitable shrubbery. This would not only add very much to the beauty of the building, but would greatly improve the service in the court room, in which now at times it is almost impossible for the jury to hear a witness when testifying.

In securing this improvement, the ladies will ask the Fiscal court and Board of Trustees to aid them. This request should be met with a generous response, as the ladies are not only giving their time to the work; but are liberally contributing financial aid. This is one of the best counties in Kentucky, and with but little expense Columbia, with her natural advantages, good schools, culture and wealth can be made the prettiest town in the state; and will be if the ladies of this club are only given proper support.

When all business was over, Mrs. Hynes, president of the club, invited the guests to a cozy corner on the large porch, where delightful refreshments were served. Music which would have done credit to any chautauqua platform, was rendered by Mrs. C. M. Russell and Mrs. Bros. Barger. About 11:30, one of the most enthusiastic crowds assembled in Columbia for a long time, bade each other good night. All with words of praise and expressions of confidence in the success of this public spirited club.

Resolutions.

The Sunday School of the Mt. Vernon Christian church, Mt. Vernon, Ky., in regular session on Sunday, June 10th, 1917, unanimously adopted the following resolutions:

First. That our school, the community life, and all the best interests of Mt. Vernon, have sustained a loss by the removal of Dr. P. H. Conover and Mrs. Conover to Columbia, Ky.

Second. That Dr. Conover was efficient in his profession, clean in his life, public spirited as citizen and a Christian gentleman at all times.

Third. That both he and Mrs. Conover won our love, respect and confidence, and now have our very best wishes for their happiness, prosperity and usefulness in their new home.

E. R. Gentry,
C. C. Davis,
H. T. Young,
Committee.

A Quiet Marriage.

Last Saturday evening, about 8 o'clock, Mr. P. P. Dunbar and Miss Amanda Butler, a well-known and highly respected couple, in company with a few friends, called at the home of Eld. Z. T. Williams, where they were happily married. While the couple had been going together for some time, their Union was a surprise. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Josh Butler, who live near Mt. Pleasant, and the groom a son of Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Dunbar, who live three miles east of Columbia. Both families are prominent, and the wedded couple have the best wishes of their many friends. Their plans have not been announced.

Bargains.

10 March hatched S. C. White Leghorn Cockerels from Foggs No 1 Pen at \$1 each if taken by August 10. J. O. Russell.

Country at War.

But did not prevent me from getting the new pumps with Aluminum vents that actually prevents freezing. Call and see them before you buy. 38-3t S. F. Eubank.

Notice.

Bids will be received and contract let for building colored school house at Kelleyville on August 7, 1917. House to be 24x30x12 in size. 39-1t Tobias Huffaker Supt.

School Per Capita \$5.

The State school per capita for the ensuing school year will be \$5. On an estimate of \$3,849,418 16. State Superintendent V. O. Gilbert said the department will be justified in apportioning the State school fund among the common and city schools on a basis of \$5 for each of the 748,837 children of school age. The seven month school will be continued. Last year the per capita was \$5.15.

Arm Broken.

Mrs. W. R. Garrison, (nee Miss Susie Sinclair) had the misfortune to get her right arm broken last Tuesday afternoon. She was on the steps of the back porch, and in some way fell, with the result as above stated. Dr. W. J. Flowers was called and reduced the fracture. It may prove to be a bad break, as it was at the elbow. It is hoped, however, that the result will not prove serious.

Plan in Concise Form.

Here are the plans of the war department for the draft:

Each man who registered will be drafted.

Those whose numbers are drawn first will be the first to be called.

The first call will be for 1,000,000 men.

If the required number of 687,000 cannot be filled from 1,000,000 after exemptions have been made, those next on the list will be called until the 687,000 is complete.

If a second call is necessary those next on the list will be ordered to report for examination.

Prof. Pleas Wesley.

Mr. Wesley passed State examination in Casey county, he says—1916. He paid his poll tax in Adair—1916. I asked State superintendent's permission to take State examination in Russell Co. His answer:—Sept., 10, 1915. "You are asking a permission to do a thing, that even if the Department should grant you, would if questioned, invalidate your certificate, if you should receive one. I wish this privilege were legal, but is not, as the law is plain that that you must either take this examination in the county of your residence or at the State capitol."

V. O. Gilbert.

Now, shall the Republicans question Mr. Wesley's certificate on August 4th, or allow the Democrats to take the office away from him after he has been elected in November? George Aaron.

Columbia Red Cross Chapter Fully Organized.

During the past week authority was received to organize the Red Cross Chapter permanently, which was done on Sunday, p. m., at the Methodist church. The following officers were appointed and elected.

Chairman, Judge W. W. Jones; Vice Chairman, Mrs. W. A. Hines; Secretary, Mrs. R. F. Rowe; Treasurer, Bruce Montgomery; Local Secretary, Rev. C. H. Schad. A call was made for members. Twenty six responded and paid their membership fee of one dollar. This brings the membership to 36, including the 10 charter members. This chapter will be known as the Columbia Adair County Chapter, Ky.

The executive committee was elected as follows: Dr. Conover, Robt. Reed, Rev. C. H. Schad, J. O. Russell, John Flowers, G. B. Smith; Miss Jennie Garnett, Mrs. Geo. Staples and Mrs. Joe. Rosenfield. There is no reason why this chapter should not have a membership of 150 or 200 members in a short time, if the members get busy and boost. The next meeting will be July 29th at 4 o'clock at the Methodist church.

To the Citizens of Adair County, Ky.

In the short time that I have been in Adair county, I see the need of the people to cooperate with one another for the purpose of building better roads and streets. Not only would it help the conditions of traffic for the public, but it would also increase the value of property and farms. It becomes essentially important therefore, that the people of Adair county and

adjoining counties shall fully recognize this situation and see to the building of good public roads as rapidly as they can; with the fact that it is to their own individual interest. Your only macadam road leading from the railroad or from other public highways should be a free public highway, and kept in the very best condition. The seriousness of this can not be overstated, and conditions will grow worse if the people don't cooperate with one another and with the State Department of Public Roads. Therefore I insist and hope that you will fully understand the importance of good roads and what they mean in this day of prosperity.

C. Hoge Hockensmith,
State Road Inspector.

Next Governor.

Speaking of the next race for Governor of Kentucky, the Larue County Herald says:

"Lieutenant Governor Black is the conspicuous man in the party at present. We cannot forget the hearty endorsement given him by the voters both in the primary and general election. His record and his actions since he has been in Frankfort stamp him as a man eminently fair, and strong enough to lead the party in any fight. As stated in the beginning, The Herald knows that it is early to discuss such things, but at the same time believes that early discussion will bring better selection. The Moses to lead us out of the wilderness of factions and fights is now before you; watch his gradual rise to up head and shoulders above the crowd."

The August American Magazine.

The August magazine is usually devoted to fiction, but the articles in the August American Magazine are fully up to the standard set in the other months. Thomas E. Wilson, the Chicago packer, tells how he picks and handles men; Jack Lait writes about how he feels at thirty-five; B. C. Forbes contributes an article on the effect of war on business in England and the United States; Jane Cowl has something to say about the handicap of beauty in the theater and Grantland Rice sings of "Sunny Tennessee" in verse.

The fiction is at a high mark because it includes stories by such writers as William Dudley Pelley, H. C. Witwer, Ellis Parker Butler, Marjorie Denton Cooke, David Grayson. The "Interesting People, Family Money, and 'Sid Says'" are filled with useful and entertaining hints, and the results of the contest "What I Would Sacrifice for My Country" are also published.

Officers of Election, August Primary, 1917.

West Columbia, No. 1.—W. T. McFarland, Judge, U. N. Whitlock, Judge; Fred McLean, Clerk, J. A. Willis, Sheriff.

East Columbia, No. 2.—J. B. Russell, Judge, D. M. Moore, Judge; Emmett Riggins, Clerk, J. Z. Pickett, Sheriff.

Milltown, No. 3.—Ed Littrell, Judge, G. A. Atkins, Judge; J. B. Keltner, Clerk, Creed Pollard, Sheriff.

Keltner, No. 4.—W. H. Kemp, Judge, George M. Rodgers, Judge; J. W. Vire, Clerk, E. W. Parnell, Sheriff.

Gradyville, No. 5.—Lafe Fielder, Judge, Dolphus Wheeler, Judge; Allen Kemp, Clerk, Elmer Keene, Sheriff.

Elroy, No. 6.—G. C. Coomer, Judge, J. H. Branham, Judge; Fred Simpson, Clerk, C. C. Roe, Sheriff.

Harmony, No. 7.—J. L. Darnell, Judge, J. W. Burbridge, Judge; L. W. Tabor, Clerk, O. E. Cheatham, Sheriff.

Glennville, No. 8.—Elbert Melson, Judge, Robert Taylor, Judge; Ray Strange, Clerk, Loren Collins, Sheriff.

White Oak, No. 9.—W. N. Holt, Judge, Robert Bailey, Judge; Tandy Campbell, Clerk, R. B. Reeves, Sheriff.

Little Lake, No. 10.—J. W. Burton, Judge, Pete McQuerry, Judge; Owen White, Clerk, J. J. Helton, Sheriff.

Pellyton, No. 11.—Wallace Goode, Judge, Sam Workman, Judge; Joe P. Coffey, Clerk, J. W. Kniffey, Sheriff.

Roley, No. 12.—Jerome Barr, Judge, Jake Chelf, Judge, Emmett Goode, Clerk, Grant Stayton, Sheriff.

Cane Valley, No. 13.—James Woodrum, Judge, E. B. Atkinson, Judge; L. W. Dudgeon, Clerk, J. L. Tupman, Sheriff.

Egypt, No. 14.—William Absher, Judge, Ben Rodertson, Judge; R. A. Cooley, Clerk, George Bryant, Sheriff.

South Columbia, No. 15.—Junius Hancock, Judge, W. T. Dohoney, Judge; E. E. Strange, Clerk, J. C. Holladay, Sheriff.

Announcement.

To the Voters of Russell County: I promise, if elected, to carry out the following plan for the benefit of the prisoners and taxpayers.

1. I shall dispense with the Deputy

Take Notice:

Do you wish to enjoy the satisfaction of knowing that the Tombstone or Monument you erect as a final tribute to the one you loved, and whose memory you wish to pass down to posterity, will not only be a fitting and beautiful memorial, but will also endure through ages to come? If you do, your attention is called to the many monuments of Marble and Granite which I have placed in the Cemetery at Columbia and surrounding burying grounds, which will show you the beauty and durability of the material used in their construction, and attesting the care and neatness with which my work is done.

Call on O. P. Bush, Columbia, Ky., and tell him what you want, and he will make you prices within easy reach of all. Give him your order and you will be sure to get the best on the market.

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allowed the Jailer and do, or have, all the work done, at my expense. This will save the Taxpayers \$1.00 per day. I shall at my own expense oversee the work of the prisoners on the public highways.

2. I promise to give one-tenth of my official income to the various churches in Russell county to be used by them in paying off the indebtedness on church property. In this each denomination (both white and colored) is to share alike in proportion to the amount of indebtedness against them. One representative from each denomination will be asked to help form a committee to assist in the fair and proper distribution of said fund. In case all such church indebtedness shall have been lifted the remaining portion of this fund is to be used on the public highways of Russell county.

3. Inasmuch as the county prison is designed to be a house of correction and reform in which all inmates should be given special inducement to proper reflection, and encouraged in every way to set firmer resolutions to live peaceable and law-abiding lives as citizens of the Commonwealth, it shall be my plan, if elected, to encourage such thought and resolution among the prisoners by supplying them, at my expense, with Bibles and Hymn-books and other religious and good secular literature, and in addition to this I propose to secure the services of some minister of the Gospel for at least one service on each Sabbath day.

The above will be incorporated in my official bond and will be as faithfully and fully carried out in every detail as any other requirement of said bond.

C. C. Bates.

Gradyville.

Wheat threshing is about through in this section.

Wheat is worth \$2 per bushel at our mill.

We have had fine rains for the past ten days.

Our corn crop never was better in this section.

Wm. Wilmore sold 8 lambs to R. L. Caldwell for \$99.

Several cases of whooping cough in this community at this time.

We will all be glad when the primary is over.

W. L. Grady & Montgomery Bros., have the nicest crop of tobacco in this section.

Van Franklin and family, of Wilder, Tenn., are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Remember the revival services at Union beginning July the 24th. Mrs. Earnest Flowers will have charge of the music, and Bro. J. R. Crawford is the evangelist. Everybody invited to attend.

J. J. Parson, our up-to-date blacksmith, is building an up-to-date shop. When completed it will be one of the best buildings in our town. H. B. Henderson has charge of the work at present.

Dr. James Taylor passed through here the first of the week en route for East Fork, where he will spend several days looking after his affairs in that section.

The old soldiers reunion will be just in a few days. They will convene near Weed. They are expecting a large attendance. Preaching every day by Revs. Payne and Pardue. Everybody invited to attend.

Rev. W. C. Christie is holding a series of revival services at Summer Shade in Green county. He is assisted by Rev. Bailey, of Greensburg. We understand there is great interest in the services.

Haag's show visited our town last Tuesday. A good attendance with a very good exhibition. Everything passed off nicely.

Mrs. Fannie J. Rodgers, wife of Joel Rodgers, died on the 11th, with a complication of troubles. While she had only lived in our midst for a few years she made many friends. The more you became acquainted with her the better she was liked. A better neighbor never lived in our town. She was loved by both old and young. She was a member of the Methodist Church and a Christian in the truest sense, and when the end came she was ready. Her funeral was preached by her pastor, Rev. W. C. Christie at Pickett's Chapel, before a large audience of sorrowing relatives and friends. Her remains were interred at the cemetery at that place. She leaves a devoted husband with six children. May God bless them in their sad hour.